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MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE
ON
OVERSIGHT

Thursday, March 15, 2018

9:00 a.m.

Room 326 House Office Building

The House Standing Committee on Oversight was called to order by the Chair.

Members present: Reps. Graves, Howrylak, Iden, Johnson, Hertel, Chirkun

Absent/Excused: None

Representative Iden moved to adopt the minutes of March 8, 2018. There being no objection, the motion prevailed by unanimous consent.

The Chair laid the Michigan Office of the Auditor General's Performance Audit Report of the Michigan Veterans Affairs Agency within the Michigan Department of Military and Veterans Affairs before the committee.

Representative Howrylak moved to refer the Performance Audit on the Michigan Veterans Affairs Agency within the Michigan Department of Military and Veterans Affairs to the House Appropriations Committee with recommendation to re-refer to the Subcommittee on Military and Veterans Affairs. The motion passed 6-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL

Yeas: Reps. Graves, Howrylak, Iden, Johnson, Hertel, Chirkun.

Nays: None.

Pass: None.

The Chair laid HB 5713 before the committee:

HB 5713 (Alexander) Civil rights; public records; notification of certain legislative offices when a failure to respond to a FOIA request exceeds a certain number of days; require.

Representative Alexander testified in support of her bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Rep. Alexander was joined by Paul Burns, Legislative Aide for Rep. Alexander, in answering questions from the committee.

Jack McHugh, representing the Mackinac Center for Public Policy, testified in support of the bill.

There being no further business before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting at 9:25 a.m.

Representative Joseph Graves, Chair_____

Ian Mays, Committee Clerk

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